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Invention: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OPERATING AND FUNDING A QUESTION AND ANSWER INTERACTIVE SYSTEM

## TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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OPERATING AND FUNDING A QUESTION AND ANSWER INTERACTIVE SYSTEM

Examiner: Apu M. Mofiz

## AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

MS RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Amendment is submitted concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) for the above-identified application.

The present Amendment is in response to the final Office Action mailed on May 13, 2005. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.